

Sophia Eagen

March 24, 1864 - April 18, 1948

Mrs. Sophia Eagen, 84, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tony Karay, Whitewater, Wisconsin, Saturday April 18, 1948.

She was the daughter of Augustus and Mary Tourdot, and was born March 24, 1864, in Exeter Township, where she spent most of her life. In January, 1891, she married Hugh Eagen, who preceded her in death on December. 14, 1920.

Mrs. Eagen stayed on the home farm and cared for her family and home, being a devoted mother and neighbor, and always ready to help those who needed her care. She moved to her present home in Belleville in 1936, where she has since resided.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs Arthur Swann, Brooklyn, and Mrs. Tony Karay, Whitewater, two sons, Frank and Vincent of Belleville, one brother, Charles Tourdot of London, Wisconsin, two granddaughters, besides many nieces and nephews.

Services were held Tuesday, April 20, at St. Mary's of Lourdes Church, Belleville, with burial at St. James Cemetery, Dayton.

Pallbearers were Ray Silver, Fred Elmer, Monticello, Mark Grinnell of Monroe, Robert Fahey, Sr., Willard Morehead, and Wm. Clark, Belleville.

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